

The FCC plan to ease media ownership rules will further allow and encourage the consolidation and control of the PUBLIC airwaves by an ever-decreasing number of media conglomerates. The net effect of such a rule would be to monopolize access to the media, homogenize the information presented to the public, and drastically reduce dissemination of the diverse opinions and points of view required by a free-thinking, and free-speaking society.

The First Amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America grants us the freedom of speech. Implied in that freedom is the right to be heard. By enacting this proposed rule change, you will be restricting the voice of the people, and broadening the voice of the media giants.

If you allow this rule change, you will be effectively selling our First Amendment rights to the highest bidder. I can't say this strongly enough, "DON'T DO IT!!!"